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| |  | | --- | |  | | Being Deaf  In the Community “Blindness separates us from things but deafness separates us from people”-Helen Keller. | |  | |  | |  | | --- | | Hearing vs. Deaf Community Deaf people sometimes feel stuck in the middle. When they are in the Hearing community, they might feel singled out because they are only deaf person in the discussion. However, when they are part of the Deaf community, they isolate themselves from the Hearing community. | |  | | Isolation Deaf people feel that because they cannot speak as well, they are inferior. The deaf people are being isolated everywhere even though “Deaf people themselves do not all see it in the same way”1 They feel like ‘normal’ people and do not want to be treated differently. | | School In schools sometimes the deaf students are not allowed to use sign language. This is hard for the students because it might be the only way that they know how to communicate. Because talking is such a big part of school, these students might feel left out.  In schools sometimes the children are not allowed to use sign language. This is hard for the students because it might be the only way that they know how to communicate. Because talking is such a big part of school, the children might feel left out. chool In schools sometimes the children are not allowed to use sign language. This is hard for the students because it might be the only way that they know how to communicate. Because talking is such a big part of school, the children might feel left out. | |  | |